

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY AMMAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 754

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AGAO, JO

SUBJECT: GAO INQUIRY: POST-RETIREMENT EMPLOYMENT OF US ARMY  
OFFICER IN JORDAN

REF: STATE 041424

1. EMBASSY HAS NO OBJECTION TO DECLASSIFICATION OF AMMAN 7550 AND AMMAN 7599. HOWEVER, WE BELIEVE THAT SOME MATERIAL INCLUDED IN AMMAN 5252, PRIMARILY GENERAL COMMENTS ON INTERESTS OF KING HUSSEIN, SHOULD NOT BE DECLASSIFIED. THESE AND SOME OTHER COMMENTS INCLUDED IN AMMAN 5252 DO NOT APPEAR TO US PERTINENT TO GAO DECISION IN ANY CASE. IF IT WILL SATISFY GAO INTERESTS IN THIS MATTER, EMBASSY IS WILLING TO ENDORSE RELEASE OF SUBSTANCE OF MADDOX LETTER (AMMAN 7599). DEPARTMENT WILL NOTE THAT MADDOX LETTER IS FULLY CONSISTENT WITH AMMAN 5252 AND APPEARS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION NEEDED FOR GAO DECISION. ALTERNATIVELY, WE ARE WILLING TO PREPARE TELEGRAM BASED ON AMMAN 5252, INCLUDING ALL MATERIAL WE BELIEVE NECESSARY FOR GAO DECISION BUT ELIMINATING NOT STRICTLY RELEVANT MATERIAL WE BELIEVE SHOULD REMAIN CLASSIFIED.

2. MISSION CONTINUES TO BELIEVE THAT APPOINTMENT OF GENERAL MADDOX AS HEAD OF ROYAL JORDANIAN AIR

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ACADEMY IS IN US INTERESTS AND WE ARE ANXIOUS TO ASSIST IN CLEARING WAY FOR HIS APPOINTMENT TO BE FINALIZED.  
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